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A REIGN OF TERROR.

FACTS DEVELOPED BY THE TELLER COMMITTEE.

Evidence of the Victims of the Armed Democracy Proscription for Copperhead Opposition to Democracy an Incendiary Act - Peaceable Citizens Driven from their Homes, &c.

LOUISIANA BOURBONISM EXPOSED.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., Jan. 7.—The Teller sub-committee met at ten a. m. in Surveyor Wells' private office at the customshouse. All the members were present.

J. Ernest Breda sworn: Is a native of Natchitoches; has always resided in the parish; served during the war in the Second Louisiana Regiment; has been a Republican since 1871; has been a stump speaker; did not take part in the last campaign, having been driven away from home on the 22d of September.

Witness stated the manner of organizing the Republican ward clubs and forming executive committees. One ward club was to meet on the 21 of September. On that day there was to be a Democratic convention. At our meeting there were 150 Republicans present, and I addressed the assembly. After adjournment we started home—I and my brothers—on horseback. We had gone about one hundred yards, when, at the corner of Cypress street a body of armed cavalrymen opposed our passage. Pistols were drawn and strong language used. At this moment I saw some more armed men coming down a side street. My brothers and I took down a side street and went to the woods, and, encircling the town, arrived during the night at home. There we stayed until the next day. On that morning, at eight o'clock, my uncle, former mayor of Natchitoches, rode up. He had not spoken to me since 1874, on account of my politics. He told me that my house was to be attacked, and desired me to surrender. I told him that I would fight and never surrender. My uncle said he would bring a guarantee from the body of armed men that house and property would be respected if we would leave the place within two hours. My uncle went back and conferred with a committee of the armed men. My brother left in the meanwhile, but did not go too far away, to see what was going on. We remained in the woods until the 25th of October. On that day my uncle came again to the house and told my sister that we were to be hunted with bloodhounds. On the 31st of October we left for Shreveport, and have remained there until summoned before the grand jury. Witness produced the *Vindicator*, calling it the organ of the bull-dozers (otherwise Democrats, self-styled) of the parish, and read certain warnings, &c., therefrom; also a copy of a document purporting to be an agreement, to which, if witness became a party, he could return home.

The document was read. It is in the shape of a preamble, narrating, from the bull-dozing point of view, all things said Bredas had done to excite the ire of good citizens of Natchitoches, and ending with a promise to be signed by the Bredas that they would hereafter behave themselves, &c. Witness stated that the little formality of signing this document was respectfully declined, on the ground that the statements in the preamble are false in every particular.

To Senator Teller: There is no lawlessness among the negroes. The miserable individuals hardly dare strike back. They are murdered there like sheep. Political speeches calling upon negroes to cut loose from the Democratic party are styled incendiary speeches, and I never made a speech which was not strictly a speech on simply political subjects. Negroes are ground down and can't even sell their crops under their own names. There are 1,700 white and 4,000 colored voters in this parish, and there are more white men who vote Republican than black who vote Democratic. The Democratic majority in the recent election given in the official journal was 2,900.

To Senator Garland witness gave details of the organization of the armed bands. Witness was formerly a parish judge, and held office until the Nicholls government came into power.

Senator Cameron—Are any prosecutions against fraudulent voters, &c., being carried on in any of the State courts?

Witness—No, sir; for, if so, the whole judiciary of the State would have to be brought to trial.

To Senator Bailey: I state this on hearsay only; I know nothing from personal observations.

To Senator Cameron: I and my brother were driven out simply because we were political leaders.

Dr. A. P. Breda sworn: The Republican meeting on the 21st of September was held for the purpose of instructing colored people as regards changes which had been made in the number and boundaries of different wards of the parish, so that they might vote intelligently. The witness corroborated the testimony of the previous witness.

The only speech witness ever made was the day after the killing of a negro in Natchitoches in 1876, in which speech he said the law was still existent, and such murders were inexcusable.

To Senator Garland—I was coroner for two terms while my brother was parish judge.

To Senator Teller—Nearly all the white people I knew in the parish were members of the Knights of the White Camelia organization. The name was changed afterward to the White League. The society is now known as No. 295. It is and has always been a political organization. I think it was because it was composed solely of Democrats, and because one of my acquaintances told me he would not join the 298 because of its political nature; besides, it was generally understood to be a political club.

V. A. Barron sworn: Is a resident of Natchitoches, but is a native of Mississippi. I fought throughout the war in the Confederate army. I was sheriff of Natchitoches up to 1876.

Witness gave an account of the meeting on the 21st of September, and the band of armed men who obstructed it. Witness left town and took to the woods. Nine days afterward I came home and was told to leave the town. Mr. Cunningham told me that the Bredas had been ordered out of town and that a committee had ordered me to leave the place. This committee is called an advisory committee, composed of Democrats. I remained several days, having some business to attend to. I left to see my brother in the country. I was absent ten days. When I returned Cunningham told me that as the others had been sent away I had to go also; the reason given was that they (the Democrats) wished all Republican leaders to get out of the way. That ruling of matters properly belonged to the Democrats. Before I left Cunningham told me that I need only go so far as my brother's and could return after the election. I went to Shreveport.

John G. Lewis (colored), of Natchitoches, testified that after the adjournment of the meeting on September 21 his house was broken into by a party of men armed with rifles and revolvers. While the party were searching his house for him he hid in some thick weeds in the back yard. The party was much excited, and threatened to kill him if they could find him. Witness managed to effect his escape from the place and made his way to New Orleans.

Raford Blount (colored), of Natchitoches, was next examined. He stated that on September 21, in the afternoon, his house was surrounded by a body of armed men, numbering 250, commanded by M. J. Cunninghan, present member of the Legislature from Natchitoches. His house was broken into, and he surrendered himself on receiving assurance that he would not be harmed. He was taken to jail and kept there until midnight, when he was allowed to leave town, on the condition that he would advise the negroes to leave politics alone, and would never return to the parish. Witness said he was a man of property in the parish, and was driven away on account of his influence with the colored race, an influence he had always exerted against the Democratic party. Witness was pastor of a Baptist church, and in 1876 was Senator in the Packard Legislature. Witness stated that the lawlessness in Natchitoches was due solely to politicians, as respectable people were not in favor of it. Witness has not returned to Natchitoches since September 22.

Messrs. J. D. McGill, Lucien Bland, and J. M. McGill, residents of Tensas Parish, testified that before the election there were two tickets in the field—a regular Democratic and an Independent Democratic ticket. The negroes agreed to support the latter, and witnesses believed the negroes were intimidated to such an extent as to prevent the the election of the Independent ticket. They also believed frauds were committed by stuffing the ballot-boxes. The whole machinery of the election was in the hands of the regular Democratic nominees. The witnesses were candidates on the Independent ticket.

The committee adjourned until to-morrow, when other witnesses from Tensas will be examined.

FROM OUR RALEIGH CORRESPONDENT.

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 9th, 1879.

The "city of oaks" is pretty well crowded with legislative lobyists curious spectators and a wood full of Senatorial candidates, who are willing to be scarfed up like the celebrated Nasby and Jorced to serve their country in the Senatorial halls of the nation.

The Republican members of the legislature seem to be unamimous in their condemnation of the action of the state committee in refusing to place a Republican state ticket in the field in the last August election, which they characterize as an evidence of weakness and want of back bone, there is a visible determation manifested among Republicans generally but more especially among the western Republicans who heretofore have been very "tender footed." They now seem to be more zealous in the determation to prepare our forces by complete and thorough organization for the great day of battle the contest of 1880. Even then the eastern Republicans, if we can regard the expression of the Republican representatives as the reflected sentiment of their party. It is very evident that with judicious management the prospect was never better for Republican success than in 1880. But new party leaders must be brought to the front and back bone, more back bone much more back bone, must be manifested among the leaders.

At 12 o'clock M. to-day the House of Representatives was called to order by Mr. John D. Cameron the clerk of the House in 1876-7. The roll of counties was called and members were qualfied by Mr. C. B. Root, J. P. The members were received on presentation of their certificates. When Brunswick was reached, Mr. Mears presented his certificate, Dr. R. M. Norment objected to his qualification claiming that Mr. Brooks was elected. He asked that the certificate be read, which was done—the clerk ruling that the certificate was sufficient, (Mr. Brooks was not present), hence Mr. Mears will represent or misrepresnt Brunswick county, the voters of the county wishing to the contrary, notwithstanding.

After the qualification of members the Clerk announced the next business in order to be the election of a Speaker.

Mr. Cook, of Franklin, nominated John M, Moring, said he was a zealous worker in the cause of Democracy, was farmiliar with parlimentary law and true to the principles of the Democratic party. It was very evident that the Democratic party had harmonized upon their man, as no other Democratic nomination was made.

Mr. H. E. Scott, of New Hanover, obtained the floor and said: Mr. Clerk, I desire to place in nomination for the responsible position of Speaker of this House, one whose experience in both branches of the Assembly as a legislator, and whose kuowledge of rules governing parliamentary bodies, as well as his dignified bearing and uniform courteous manner so amply fits him for the position. Knowing, sir that he possesses all those elements which are prerequisite qualifications for a presiding officer, and knowing that his conduct would be characterized by fairness and impartiality as a presiding officer over this honorable body, I take great pleasure in placing in nomination the Hon. R. M. Norment of Robeson, as Speaker of the House of Representatives. Mr. Moring received 68 votes and Mr. Norment 27.

A noticeable feature in this connection is the fact that Mr. Cook, in his remarks on his candidate, dwelt with emphasis upon the services rendered the party, and his fealty to the principles of Democracy, while Mr. Scott never once referred to party, but in a very eloquent manner brought prominently forward those qualifications which were combined in an individual like "the stone which the builders refused," fits and fills the place. Mr. Scott is the first Republican who made a speech in the House during the session thus far. As a debater he has full control of himself while speaking, and although it is evident that he is of the order of enthusiastic speakers, yet he speaks with deliberation and impressive earnestness. He was warmly congratulated by the Republican members who admired his boldness and zealous activity. Indeed with Norment, Scott, Clark of Craven, and others who are watchful and vigilant sentinels, the interest of the principles of Republicanism will be well guarded.

Mr. Waddell of New Hanover, is of a quiet, dignified sort, who is a steady and firm as an old veteran. It does not require great penetrating power to discover the fact that he is more of a business man than a talking one—one of the kind which are indispensible on important committees, who is ready to do the greater, and in fact the substantial part of legislation. New Hanover county has good reason to be proud of her Representatives in the House.

The all absorbing topic of the day is the Senatorial question. The friends of the two prominent candidates, Vance and Merrimon, are so nearly evenly divided, numerically speaking, that each side is afraid of the other. The Republicans manifest wisdom in their determination to select a good, true, unflinching Republican, who posseses back-bone, moral courage and unswerving devotion to the principles of Republicanism. and stand by him as their standard bearer, and let the Democrats continue their "Kilkenny cat fight," for the days of their power are numbered. Soon will the cepter depart from their hands and a brighter era shall dawn upon the old North State.

Mr. Scott has introducep a bill to repeal chapter 141, acts of 1875-'78, which if passed will place the selection of county officers back with the people, also a bill defining the jurisdiction of magistrates.

George H. White, (colored) son of Wiley F. F. White, was licensed by the Supreme Court on last Wednesday to practice law in the courts of this state, he having passed the searching examination of the Supreme Court. He is a very promising young man, and will make his mark in the legal fraternity.

Jno. H. Collins, solicitor, is in the city attending court. Quite a sensation is manifested in his prosecution of the Swepson case, which is on his docket, and comes up soon. More anon.

VOX.

A school master tells us the following good one. I was once teaching ina quiet country village. The second morning of the session I had time to survey my surroundings, and among the scanty furniture I espied a three-legged stool. "Is this the dunce block?" I asked a little girl of five years. The dark eyes sparkled, the curls nodded assent, and the lips rippled out "I guess so; the teacher always sits on it."

The betrothal of Fraulein Margaret Rothschild, daughter of Baron Charles von Rothschild of Frankfort, to the Duc de Guiche, a Roman Catholic, has given rise to much regret and considerable discussion in the Jewish European press. This affair is most particularly deplored, inasmuch of the example set will be most pernicious in its effects, and the Fraulein Margaret will doubtless be compelled to seek admission into the communion of the Roman Catholic Church.

CITY ITEMS.

See fourth page for latest and legislative news.

Hon. Mr. Conger and lady while in the city stopped at the Purcell house, where they received calls from many of their friends.

We had the pleasure of meeting Senator Ross of Brunswick county, on Tuesday last. He was looking well and ready for Senatorial work.

MR. JAS. W. LIPPITT.—The friends of this gentleman received a telegram from Savannah yesterday stating that he was very ill.

We congratulate Col. Mabson on his unanimous re-election as Lieut. Col. of the 5th Battalion of the N. C. State Guard. Col. Mabson has been connected with the military of the state for the past six years, and his conduct has always been such that he has very justly the respect of all our citizens. He is one of the very best trained officers in the State Guard, as the efficiency of his Battalion shows, as well as the confidence of his superior officers.

It is very strange that Sheriff Taylor who claims that he was elected last August, Sheriff of Brunswick county, should have given Mr. Meares a certificate as a member of the legislature, when the election returns show that Mr. Brooks, the Republican candidate for the legislature received about the same number of votes that Mr. Taylor did. Now if Mr. Meares is entitled to his seat as member of the legislature, then Sheriff Taylor's opponent is entitled to be Sheriff of Brunswick county. We hope the Sheriff will explain this little inconsistency of his.

DR. R. M. NORMENT.—The Representative from Robeson county, Dr. R. M. Norment, was nominated in the Republican caucus at Raleigh as the Republican candidate for Speaker, and he received the unamimous vote of the Republicans for that honorable position, on the organization of the House on Wednesday the 8th instant. We congratulate the Republicans on their happy selection. Dr. Norment is a brave, aggressive leader and honorable man, and a sincere Republican. The county of Robeson is to be congratulated on having so able and faithfull a Representive, and the Republicans of the state through their legislature have attempted, in a small way, to show their appreciation of Robeson county's noble leader.

MR. CONGER'S VISIT.—Mr. Omar D Conger, of Michigan, who stopped in our city a day or two on his way to Florida, arrived here on Tuesday morning on his way to Washington, and stopped over at the invitation of Hon. W. P. Canaday, the Collector of the Port and several citizens, in order to take a trip down the river, he having been a member of the Committee on Commerce during the time when the late appropriations were granted, and desiring to see for himself the results of the improvements near the mouth of the Cape Fear. The party went down on the Revenue Steamer Crawford, Capt. R. Glover, and was made up of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Conger, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Rice, and Mrs. Slam, wife of Lt. Slam, of the Cutter, and Mayor Fishblate, Dr. A. J. DeRossett, Edward Kidder, J. H. and Geo. Chadbourne, Mr. Heide, Swedish Consul, Henry Nutt, C. H. Robinson, Pres. of the Produce Exchange, Col. Brink, Gen. Abbott, Mr. B. F. Mitchell, Col. Fulgum, of the Raleigh *Observer*, Gen. A. W. Barney, of Charleston, Major W. P. Gould, U. S. A., and others. The Cutter proceeded slowly by the works at New Inlet, and within good view of the older works between Zeke's and Smith's Islands, to Smithville, and thence below Fort Caswell, so as to give the distinguished guest an opportunity to view the whole problem of deepening the entrance to our port. He expressed himself much gratified at at the results of the great work which he had constantly aided, and as getting a much more intelligible idea of it than he had heretofore done from maps and charts.

Of course the ruined fortifications of this historic entrance were observed and discoursed upon, a look taken at the charming little village of Smithville, and the ruins of old Brunswick, mingled with good cheer from the elegant entertainment provided by Capt. Glover, whose officers contributed with him to the pleasure of all on board, until at about senset the Cutter swept to the wharf, and amid hand-shakings and well-wishings the party bid goodbye to their distinguished guests, who proceeded by the night train on their way to Washington.

It was one of the pleasantest of the many pleasant parties which go down on the Cape Fear.

LOCAL NEWS

John Bartley (colored), was frozen to death near Fair Bluff during the late cold snap.

Thos. M. Gardner Esq., has been appointed Magistrate in place of T. M. Smith Esq.,—resigned.

Mr. J. H. Muse, the well known local of the *Star* is confined to his room by an affliction of the eyes.

Passengers cannot go to Raleigh *via* Hamlet now without staying at the latter place over night.

The Carolina Central Railway contemplate running a branch of their road from some point on their present line to the town of Hickory.

Gen. A. M. Barney, special agent of the Treasury Department has been in the city last week, hence from Charleston where are his head quarters.

R. W. McKoy, Thomas H. McKoy, Jr., Swift M. Empie and Addison Ricaud were admitted to the practice law in this state at the late term of the Supreme Court at Raleigh.

On Sunday morning about 10 o'clock a fire broke out in the Bettencourt property, corner of Market and Second streets, and the corner building and some others were partially consumed.

The senseless and clumsy fling in the *Star* at Mr. Conger, we believe is regretted by all decent people. It is generally regarded as a very bungling exhibition of spite, causelessly put forth on a very inappropriate occassion.

The Rev. T. H. Ambler delivered before the Historical Society on Monday evening an address on modern spiritualism. He stated it orignated under John D. Fox in Wayne county, N. Y. in 1847. He stated also that there were in the United States from six to ten millions who were firm believers in the doctrine. Mr. Thackeray, the great English author was also a believer. The speaker admitted that the experiments involved phenomena which are not yet accounted for.

ELECTION OF FIELD OFFICERS OF THE TWO COLORED BATTALIONS.—The officers of the 4th and 5th Battalions of North Carolina State Guards assembled in this city on Friday morning, in pursuance of a general order issued by Adjutant General Johnston Jones, for the election of field officers. The following were re elected for the 5th Battalion:

Lieutenant-Colonel—Geo. L. Mabson, of Wilmington.

Major—Abram Halliday, of Fayetteville.

The officers elected for the Fourth battalion are, for Lieutenant-Colonel, A. J. Haywood, of Raleigh, and for Major, A. J. Ogden, of Newbern.

The Fifth Battalion Band from Fayetteville furnished the music for the occasion. It is one of the finest bands in the state.

The officers from Fayetteville are under obligations to Capt. Worth of the Str. Worth, for attention to their comfort while on board, and also to Mayor Fishblate, and Chief of Police Brock, for favors during their stay in Wilmington.

Too much credit cannot be given to Lt. Col. Mabson, and his officers and men for the excellent discipline of this corps.

Dr. R. M. Norment the able Representative of Robeson county, passed through this city on Monday last, on his way to Raleigh. He stopped at the Purcell House, where his friends had the pleasure of seeing him.

Paris *Figaro*:—"A man was in bed very ill, when an old chum came to see him. "I am awfully bad, said the patient; 'you see I am lying on my right side, and my doctor says I am so bad that if I were to turn over on my left side I should die.' 'What an extraordinary thing to say!' said the friend. 'I assure you he did say it,' replied the sick man. 'I can't believe it,' rejoined the visitor. 'What!' exclaimed the sick man, 'you don't believe it? Then look here!' and he turned over and died in a rage."

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WILMINGTON, N. C.,

SUNDAY MORNING, JAN. 12, 1879.

Ex-Judge Albertson, at present United States District Attorney for the eastern district in this state, has moved to Raleigh.

Archbishop Purcell of Cincinnati, having become a kind of depository for the funds of Catholics through his brother, and being unable to restore the funds on account of the shrinkage of real-estate, is in very great distress. The Venerable Archbishop was entirely innocent of any bad intention.

The Hon. Edward Cooper, the son of Peter Cooper recently elected Mayor by the Anti-Tammanyites, has entered upon his duties, together with both branches of the city legislative government, and Tammany has walked out. The new Mayor presented a message in which he took high ground for reform and entrenchment. Old thieves retired with very ill humor, and stood around pouting at the new organization as it was organizing. So falls Democracy in high places.

Senor Mendez Vigo, the new Minister from Spain to the United States, is expected to arrive here in a few days. He sailed from Spain for Havana about two weeks ago, and will come to Washington by way of New York. Senor Vigo is a distinguished Spanish statesman, and, prior to his appointment as Minister to Washington, was a member of the Cortes and held a high position in the royal household. In politics he is an Alfonsist. Senor Vigo has a wife and nine children, but his family will not join him here for several months.

The Academy of Sciences, or at least some members thereof, incited by the late eccentricities of the isothermal lines, have conceived the idea that the earth is getting out of shape and is "wabbling" along its orbit, thus upsetting the calculations of the almanacs respecting the weather. It is even said that these learned gentlemen are about to ask Congress to make an appropriation to investigate how this thing is. Admitting that it would take a committee more pertinacious than Mr. Potter's, to pursue these enquiries, we are of the opinion that it is best to let our earth go on as it has a mind to. If it takes a notion to squirm, and wiggle and "wabble" in its course around the sun, thereby bringing on unanticipated cold-spells, we do not see how it can be prevented. No Potter's committee can stop it. If our globe has "bulges" on it, and is found not to be an absolute spheroid, as has long been believed, we can't help it. Our next Congress may be nearly omnipotent, but we trust they will not attempt to legislate at the solar system.

One "Doctor" R. L. Dabney, of Virginia, writes an article which is printed in the "Planter and Farmer," contending that the common school system is unjust in theory and injurious practically; that an ignorant majority has no business to compel an intelligent and cultivated minority to pay taxes for their children's schooling; that he objects to "manufacturing in Virginia a yankee public sentiment alien to the genius and traditions of Virginia;" that "sham-schooling will be utterly fertile for the end proposed;" that the common school system is "godless" and "ungodly" and destined "to rear us a generation of atheists;" asks somebody "to tell us, if you please, what Virginia is to do with half a million of young negroes thus trained [by common schools] to impotency, when the old generation educated by slavery, are gone;" and so forth, and so forth, at a smart length. It is our private opinion that this "Dr. R. L. Dabney" would be considerably improved in his opinions concerning the status of the human animal by a year's residence among the Modoc Indians.

An unreconciled Mississippi paper of Democratic politics and high-toned southern impudence phrases it in this blunt and honest style: "The questions of the war "have simply been removed from the battlefield to the ballot-box." The principles "of the southern people must and shall "rule this country." But our chivalric contemporary forgets that it takes two to make a bargain. The "must and shall" business is among the things of the past. It is with solid gratification, however, that we reproduce this plain indication of the non-sectional tendencies of our southern Bourbon brethren.—*Ex.*

The Bloomington *Pantagraph* publishes the following as a true copy of a letter on file among the archives of the Chicago and Alton Road, at the Superintendent's office in Bloomington:

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 13, 1858.
R. P. Morgan, Superintendent C. & A. R. R.

DR. SIR—Says Sam to John, 'here's your old rotten wheelbarrow. I broke it usin' on it. I wish you would take it and mend it, case I shall want to borrow it this afternoon." Acting on this as a precedent, here's your old "chalked hat." I wish you would take it and send me a new one, case I shall need to use it the first of March.

Yours truly,
A. Lincoln.

THE SENATORSHIP.

Our information from Raleigh is that Gov. Vance is decidedly ahead in the Senatorial race. If what we hear is correct the work will be "short, sharp and decisive" and Vance will be nominated on the first ballot in the caucus, and elected by both branches of the General Assembly on the first ballot. It is not our fight, and neither of the men who are spoken of for the position on the part of the Democrats would be at all satisfactory to the Republicans of the state. There is not much choice between the two most prominent candidates.

We hear that there is a probability that the Republicans, first and last, will cast their votes solid for some one Republican, and not mix at all in the Democratic controversy, but let them fight it out on their own line, and in their own way. Six years ago the 65 Republican members of both Houses voted solid for Merrimon, the then bolting candidate. If they have since that time derived either satisfaction or benefit from their course then we have not heard of it. The Democrats now have an ample majority in both Houses, and can do as they please, and we think the Republican members will act wisely if they keep entirely aloof from the dispute.

The conferring of favors upon individuals either at the polls or in the legislature, from whom the parties casting the votes derive no benefit, in the vain hope that it may bring disturbance into the ranks of our opponents, is always a doubtful proceeding. It can hardly be looked at in any other light than as a betrayal of principle, and in case of a legislature as a betrayal of their constituents. This is a period when all sorts of considerations should induce Republicans to maintain the integrity of their party, unless there is some good purpose to be accomplished by acting otherwise. Our Republican members of the legislature will undoubtedly best subserve the interest of those who elected them, if they will organize, consult constantly among themselves, and when any question of a party character is before them, act as a unit.

It may be said with entire truth that Mr. Merrimon's voting and speeches in the Senate, have been as closely and entirely in the strict Democratic line as Vance's could possibly be. There is not the slightest possibility that either of them are capable of becoming a leader in that liberal element of the population which constitutes a majority in this state. If any man, were to arise during the controversy, capable of becoming the leader of a new and liberal combination, emancipated from the hide-bound antecedents of the Democrats, it would then perhaps be time for the Republicans to act.

Hamburg Butler.

It is probable that the case of Hon. D. T. Corbin *vs* M. C. Butler, both of South Carolina will be called up soon. There is no doubt but that Mr. Corbin was the legally elected Senator, and the Senate Committee has reported in favor ousting Gen. Butler and seating the rightfully elected person. The vote on seating Butler stood 29 to 28, counting Conover and Patterson, Senator Davis of Illinois not voting, and Senator Sharon of Nevada, being absent.

During the present session, if Senator Davis still refrains from voting, as he is expected to do, and Senator Sharon votes for Mr. Corbin, as he certainly will, the result, omitting the vote of Butler, who, of course, could have no voice in his own case, would be a tie. This will be understood when it is remembered that the full Senate, as at present constituted, consists of 36 Democrats, 39 Republicans, and Senator Davis, Independent. With Butler and Davis not voting, and Conover and Patterson added to the Democratic column, the vote would be 37 to 37. In such an event, if the Vice-President exercised his right against Butler, it is of course obvious that Mr. Corbin would be seated. This, at least, is the calculation of his friends. On the other hand, it is held by the Democratic side that Senator Davis did not vote when the case was up before simply because his vote was not needed, but that now if compelled to do so, he would support Butler. In case he should still remain Independent, however, the Democrats will probably claim that the Vice-President has no right to vote upon the qualifications of members of the Senate. Whatever may be the outcome the contest, there is at least no doubt that it will occasion an extended political debate.

The Atlanta Ga. *Constitution* very pertinently says that if Wade Hampton's case is submitted to investigation he is likely to have his official head amputated as well as his leg, and that when Blaine attacked the southern Democracy with "vulgar fractions" it demoralized them.

The first day the Teller committee put its sickle into the harvest of outrages in Louisiana, it brought fruit. The reader can see as much in another column.

Josh Billings: "I don't insist upon pedigrees for a man or a horse. If a horse kan trot fast the pedigree is all right; if he kan't, I wouldn't give a shilling a yard for his pedigree."

THE REPUBLICAN SUCCESS IN FRANCE.

Senatorial elections have recently been held in France and resulted in a large increase of Republican members. The defeat of the Bonapartists seems to be crushing. Of conservative Senators whose terms expired, only 13 have been re-elected. The general result shows the election of 15 conservatives and 64 Republicans. The Republican majority in the Senate will be about 57. Electoral statistics wonderfully corroborate the reports of the progress made by the Republican Party in France. Fifty-six Conservatives elected in 1876 received 15,646 votes, whereas in 1879 they only obtained 3,208 votes, thus losing 12,438 votes. Nineteen Republicans elected in 1876 received 5,636 votes, and in 1879 received 20,262, thus gaining 14,626 votes.

There are 13 vacancies in the Chamber of Deputies in consequence of Deputies being elected to the Senate.

Mr. Cox's Census Bill.

Mr. Cox's census bill, introduced in the House yesterday, is based upon the act providing for the taking of the ninth census; but makes provisions for additional social and vital statistics. It also provides for elaborate returns from railroad, express, telegraph, palace, parlor, and sleeping car companies life, fire, and marine insurance companies, the location of the public debt of the United States at home, the indebtedness of cities, towns, and counties, and kindred subjects.

One radical change is proposed in the matter of enumeration. The bill provides that, instead of being intrusted to deputy United States marshals, the supervision of the work shall be placed in the hands of supervisors, to be nominated by the Governors of the several States and Territories, and appointed by the Secretary of the Interior, such supervisors to appoint enumerators under them.

The bill proposes that if any State or Territory shall take a semi-decennial census one-half the expense shall be borne by the General Government.—*National Republican.*

IN THE FUTURE.

There is every reason to believe that the present year will be an eventful one, not only in this country, but more especially in Europe. In the latter there has been the past year a most uneasy feeling regarding the future of the various empires and kingdoms of that country. The seed sown by despotism is bearing fruit, and terrible things will come of its plucking. Monarchist are trembling at the discontent and mutterings of their depressed people, and Emperors and autocrats view with misgivings the belligerent demonstrations of their servile populations. The prophecies of ISAIAH are about to be fulfilled, and woe to him who attempts to stem the tide. Russia is beginning to feel internal gripings which are of far more concern to her than the ambition of England and its roar of conquest. Royalty in Britain hails with unalloyed satisfaction the friendly reception of her children in one of her colonial possessions, for she knows the distress at home and is fearful of the consequences.

France, the coming year, will again pass through a Presidential convulsion and already the Bonapartists, Republicans, &c., are preparing for the struggle, which will without doubt be most bitter, with results that none can foretell. In Germany the Socialists are a dangerous element, and that they are growing in power is indisputable. Their doctrines are most detestable, and yet they are but the fruit of a royal despotism of centuries. And who can tell their end? Spain, Italy, and Turkey are all groaning. Money wrung from their oppressed people spent and squandered by the crowned heads and nobility, and with increased taxes of fearful proportions levied upon the citizens to meet the deficits; is this not enough? And the prophecies must and shall be fulfilled.

In this country we enter upon the year with brighter hopes. For nigh seventeen years gold has been an outcast, only kept by those rich enough to give it crumbs. To-day it can enter any house and with this country's twin brother, the greenback, mutually share depressions and fluctuations. This must restore confidence, and with confidence, business, and with business, prosperity. No privileged persons here to squander away our prosperous means; none here to assert their rights to be superior to others. All here are equal—black and white, rich and poor. And let us see that all enjoy those political privileges, without which a republican form of government is but mockery. With every man a man, honesty and justice, civilization and Christianity, this nation will, through the blessings of God, march onward to the end of time.—*National Republican,*

The South Carolina correspondent of the New York *Times* quotes from the writings of Petigru, statesman and politician, to show that the Democrats of that state are old hands at fraud, and that in 1831-2 they practiced the same unblushing frauds as now. They bulldozed and bought voters, kept voters from the polls by making them drunk and carrying them into the woods, etc, etc.—*Inter Ocean.*

We referred before to the destruction of the town of Miskolez in Hungary, involving the loss of several hundreds of lives, including numerous Jews, of whom about seventy had been found dead. Since then more corpses have been recovered, raising the total number of Jews who lost their lives in this catastrophe to 129.

"A MAN-CHILD IS BORN."

On Christmas Day, in a Sound Steamer, and in a Terrible Storm.

[From the New York Sun.]

The steamer Stonington, on Christmas Eve, started from Stonington on her regular trip down the Sound to this port, in the teeth of a strong breeze. A large number of passengers were on board, and among them a young woman too poor to buy a state-room. She sat in the ladies' cabin, and was seen by the colored stewardess often in the evening. As the steamboat proceeded on her way the waves and winds grew high. The shallow waters of the Sound caused chopping waves that made the Stonington dance and pitch from side to side. The motion was one that causes seasickness, and, at the usual time of locking themselves in their state-rooms, the passengers were unable to stay in their bunks or to sleep. The tossing and pitching were at their height, when the stewardess heard a cry of distress in the cabin, and found that the young woman had given birth to a child. The steamboat was off Stamford, Conn., and it was about 3 a. m., the darkest part of the night. The young mother told the stewardess that her name was Mrs. Nolan. Her husband was in Pennsylvania, and she was on her way to him. She was very poor, she said. The news spread that a baby had been born on board in the storm, and when the stewardess gave permission, all the men on board tiptoed up and looked over each other's shoulders at the new comer. Some one said, "Pass the hat," and one was circulated briskly. In a minute $15 was put into the mother's hand, "for the baby," the spokesman said. Mrs. Nolan was taken on Christmas Day to the Emergency Hospital in Twenty-sixth street. The little boy was christened James Nolan.

Big Guns in Turrets.

Within a few years national preparations for war have become a sort of rivalry as to what country could make the largest cannon or put the heaviest plates on ships. One day it was reported that a certain government had made a gun that could easily send a missile through ten inches of iron, and all the world believed for at least twenty-four hours that this cannon had circumvented the pestilent contrivance of armor clad-ships. Next day came the report that same the government had covered a ship with twelve-inch plates. Then came a story of a gun ten tons heavier, that could pierce twelve-inch plates. Then they used fourteen-inch plates, and then ten tons more were added to the weight of the gun, and so the governments kept on in a rivalry not unprofitable to the iron founders and plate rollers, but tough on the taxpayers. It was a matter of rational curiosity for a great while what would be the limit of this sort of seesaw between guns and armor, and the catastrophe on board the Thunderer seems to indicate the direction in which the limit is to be found. The iron founder's art does not keep progress with the need for increased power in cannon, since castings beyond a certain size cannot be certainly made without flaws; and however these great guns are built up the basis is always a casting. Armor can be put on ships as heavily as it can be floated, and it does not lose in quality by addition. Guns lose in quality in proportion to the addition of weight. It is easier to increase the resistance to the direct operation of force than to increase the power of an implement in which scarcely calculable forces are to be developed. How many of the big guns in the world to day are as worthless as the one on the Thunderer? Since the mania for this sort of artillery seized upon governments these cannon have never been brought into actual use in any war, and when they are they may prove worse for the many in the turrets than for anybody outside. Perhaps an attempt to bombard positions on the Bosphorus would have been absolutely fatal to several British first rates.—*Herald.*

Resumption of specie payments became an accomplished fact yesterday not only without a jar, but with a positive gain of gold at the Sub-Treasury in this city. There was only $130,000 in notes presented for redemption, while $400,000 in gold coin was received in exchange for legal tenders. The banks had a similar experience, and bond-holders, as a rule, preferred notes to coin on drawing their interest. This state of things will continue just as long as the ability of the Treasury to redeem its notes in gold coin continues unquestioned, and just as long as the amount of depreciated silver coin in hand bears a small enough proportion to the gold as not to interfere with its proper place as a subsidiary element in the circulation. The power of the Treasury to retain an adequate stock of gold must obviously depend very largely on the limit assigned to its obligation to continue the coinage of silver. The present limit must be very materially abridged if resumption is to be a permanent success.—*New York Times.*

Be Civil to Children.

There is not care enough taken on the part of many parents and teachers to be civil to children. Children are taught—or have been and ought to be—to be respectful to their parents and to older persons; but the converse obligation is not often enough insisted on or practiced. There is no reason in this. If there be more in older persons to call forth respect, which may not always be true, there is also with them, or ought to be, more capacity for showing respect, more knowledge, and judgment, and practice in courtesy. They are thus looked upon with propriety by the children themselves as models in this particular. The pattern is often a poor one. There are teachers in our schools who have yet much to learn in this matter. They will find themselves repaid, they may be sure, in many ways, apart from the public benefit, if they will be civil to their scholars after the most genuine fashion, and with most scrupulous care.

Peace in Mississippi.

The following extract, from a letter received in Washington from a citizen of Mississippi, will be found of interest to to those who are desirous of knowing the exact truth of the situation in that state:

"It is very quiet here now, for if a negro is killed that is nothing. There is nothing done about it. So you can see that all is quiet, if a negro don't kill some white man, or want to organize a Republican club, or vote the Republican ticket. If that is done all hell will be turned loose at once, for in every county in this state there is an organization known as a rifle club or vigilance committee, to subdue any negro who attempts to organize any kind of a political party whatever except a Democratic one. He has got to stop or leave. All is quiet. You can see how it is. All the courts are in the hands of Democrats. If a man sees anything that is wrong he is afraid to testify in court. If he does he cannot live here.

"The great question with us is, now that the Government has freed the colored people, will it let this state of things go on, or will it have to say that it cannot protect all of its citizens? We are waiting to see this great question settled. We can elect no more Republican members of the Legislature here; no more Republican Congressmen; no more Republican Presidential electors. The north may send all the Republican speakers they please down here, it will do no good. If we vote the Republican ticket it will do no good. It will not be counted for us, and then we have got to be abused all the time after the election.

"I see but one way out of all this trouble, and that is for the north to unite solidly and elect a Congress that will put these states under marshal law, and appoint all the officers who will hold the courts and see that the election is fair. This is the only thing to be done, or arm the colored man in his own defense."

We have read with no small degree of surprise several articles lately published in the Charlotte *Observer* in reference to the recent murder of Mr. Fowler at Mooresville. So far as we are at present able to judge, the crime was of a revolting character and entirely without provocation or excuse.—We do not desire to palliate the crime or say word in defence of the prepetrators of the bloody deed. But it is a matter for profound regret that a respectable journal, claiming to be *par excellence* conservative, and boasting that it represents that portion of the people of this state who are in the habit of arrogating to themselves the title of *"law-abiding citizens,"* should openly advocate and encourage a resort to the violent methods of Judge Lynch for the punishment of crime—methods which are sure to degrade and brutalize the white mob which resorts to them—rather than await the action of the legally constituted courts of law, which are almost entirely in the control of the Democratic party and have hitherto been swift to visit with condign punishment the slightest infraction of law by a colored man. We cannot help contrasting the indecent haste of the *Observer* on this occasion and the truculent tone of its articles, with its attempt to defend the Cadet Priester for the murder of the colored man in the Mozart Saloon in Charlotte. When the bloody corpse of this murdered colored man was found lying upon the steps of the saloon and suspicion pointed at Priester, the *Observer* breathed not a hint of Judge Lynch, but preserved a mysterious and significant reticence till the criminal had time to make good his escape. Then, after the lapse of a sufficient time, we were told that a writ of *habeas corpus* had been issued, on which the criminal was taken, not to Charlotte, but to some more convenient point and—discharged, a most fitting *finale* to such a farce. But then the murdered man in that case was only *"a nigger,"* and it may be regarded as a complete exemplification of the eternal fitness of things, that the Judge who presided over the so-called investigation and discharged the criminal, was himself guilty of *"shooting a nigger in the back in self defence."* PROF PUDOR.—*North State.*

Passing by reluctantly the beautiful record of Margaret Fuller's philanthropic devotion to Italy, we now only enter a moment into that holy of holies, the shrine wherein we find the mother with her first-born child. "Public life, honors, mental labor will render motherhood distasteful" still insist our blind critics. Let us record another fact. Mr. Emerson says she "reigned a queen" in Cambridge through her girlhood, in Boston during the early years of womanhood, hailed almost as an angel of mercy in Italy, and yet listen to the mother nature in writing to her mother. Margaret says: "What shall I say of my child? All might seem hyperbole even to my dearest mother. In him I find satisfaction for the first time to the deep wants of my heart." Writing to Marchioness Arconati, she said: "My child is to me a source of ineffable joys, far purer, deeper than anything I ever felt before, like what nature had sometimes given, but more intimate, more sweet." When will the skeptical world learn that mothers and the sweet mother nature are not the result of circumstances?

Good manners are the only thing which keeps in fashion all the year round. It is always in good taste to say something kindly or do a generous deed. The world is so constituted, also, that it never fails to appreciate them. You can hardly lift your hat to a passer-by without compelling him to do the same thing, or receiving the applause even of those who have yielded to it.

The citizens of Halifax, Nova Scotia, are termed Heligonians; why, no one seems to know. Just at present the Heligonians are in fierce wrath because a correspondent of the London *Times* has said that the Halifax people are chiefly Africans and Micmacks; that the ladies are all splay tooted, and that at fashionable dinners the chief dish is pork and beans.

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Leave Florence ..... 4 50 P M
Arrive at Wilmington ..... 8.50 P M

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Leave Florence ..... 1.32 A M
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" Charlotte at ..... 8:20 A. M.

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Arrive at Hamlet at ..... 1:08 P. M.
" Wilmington at ..... 9:40 P. M.

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Heat of the Sun.

We can measure the quanity of heat that the sun constantly emits, because we can measure the amount received by our earth, which intercepts about the 2,300,000,000th part of all the light and heat emitted by the sun. We thus find that in every second of time the sun emits as much heat as would result from the combustion of 11,600,000,000,000 tons of coal. In passing, it may be convenient to notice that each portion of the sun's surface as large as our earth emits as much heat per second as would result from the combustion of 1,000,000,000 tons of coal—a simple and easily remembered relation. Now it is easily calculated from this that if the sun's whole mass consisted of coal, and could burn right out to the last ton, maintaining till then the present rate of emission, the supply would not last more than 5000 years. As the sun has most certainly been emitting light and heat for a far longer period than this, the idea that the solar fire is thus maintained is, of course, altogether untenable. There are, however, many other reasons for rejecting the idea that the sun is composed of burning matter, using the word "burning" in its proper sense, according to which a piece of coal in a fire is burning, whereas a piece of red hot iron is not burning, though burning hot. In like manner we find ourselves compelled to reject the belief that the sun may be a body raised at some remote epoch to an intense heat throughout its entire mass, and gradually cooling. For we find that in the course of a few thousands of years such a mass would cool far more than the sun has cooled (if he has cooled appreciably at all), even within the historic period; and we have evidence that he has poured his heat on the earth during periods compared with which the duration of the human race is but as a second amid centuries, while the duration of historic races is utterly lost by comparison.—[The Cornhill Magazine.

The Chicago Post Office building was entirely consumed on the 4th inst., with the loss of many valuable papers. There were several important law offices in the building, and it was also the head quarters of Gen. Phil. Sheridan. A dispatch says:

Gen. Sheridan, who was summoned from his home, after the breaking out of the fire, entered the building against the protestations of every one, and gave his attention to saying the papers of his office. Fire-brands were falling about him, and at last, after placing such articles as he could in the vaults, and when it became impossible to remain longer, the vault doors were secured and he made a dash for fresh air, and not a moment too soon, for great spaces of plastering were dropping all about him and burning pieces of scantling were sailing down the stairs in a very unpleasant manner. The offices of the staff and Gen. Sheridan's rooms had been furnished in elegant and costly style. Many of the officers had personal effects in the offices, and several uniforms were destroyed. There are a great many papers which were stowed in the various desks which cannot be replaced. The papers of Assistant Adjutant-General Whipple and his office are believed to be safe, although there are undoubtedly many stray documents which were destroyed.

Morton McMichael Dead.

Philadelphia, Jan. 6.—Hon. Morton McMichael, senior publisher of the *North American*, ex-mayor of Philadelphia and president of the park commission, died this afternoon, at four o'clock, after a brief illness of heart disease. Deceased, for so many years well known throughout the country, was born in Burlington County, N. J., October 20, 1807. He was educated at the University of Pennsylvania. He studied law, and was admitted to practice at the Philadelphia bar in 1827. Subsequently he was elected an alderman, a position which he held many years. From 1843 to 1846 he served as high sheriff. In 1847 Mr. McMichael became associated with George R. Graham as editor and proprietor of the *North American and United States Gazette* In 1854 Mr. McMichael became sole proprietor of the paper, and continued so until he associated his sons with him in its publication. In 1866 Mr. McMichael was elected mayor of Philadelphia, which position he held three years. He was a member of the Pennsylvania constitutional convention in 1873.

Governor Wade Hampton has a soft side for animals, a good trait by the way. He is very fond of animals, and since his convalescence he has his favorite horse brought to his window that he can feed him with his own hand. He is very fond of hunting, and the day before the amputation of his leg when the weather conspired to deepen the gloom of his family and friends felt, in view of his situation, the Governor remarked that, "as it had been raining so heavily all day, the deer would be driven out of the swamps, and the morrow would be a famous day for hunting!"—*Inter Ocean.*

The Knoxville *Tribune* is out strong for Zeb. Vance for United States Senator from North Carolina, as the successor of Mr. Merrimon, who will also be a candidate for re-election. Between two black-eyed peas it is hard to choose. We have no dog in that fight, but we confess that we sympathize with Vance. Merrimon was elected before by a combination between bolting Democrats and Republicans, and we have never seen anything in his record that showed the wisdom of the combination. His Bourbonism is as prominent as Vance's, and he lacks Vance's good nature and sympathy for the people.—*Knoxville Whig.*

Caleb Cushing.

Mr. Cushing was an intimate friend of Webster, and in some respects their tastes were similar. [illegible] at the period of his [illegible] Cushing quite a [illegible]. There were many secrets of state locked up in this old [illegible] breast. He told a friend that [illegible] written over 50 of Secretary Seward's dispatches; whether his [illegible] needs revision or not probably no one now alive can tell. An acquaintance and classmate of Mr. Cushing, now dead, said once that Cushing's moral perception were not very high. His more intimate friends say that in ordinary business transactions, or questions of right and wrong, susceptible of mechanical adjustment he was [illegible] itself; they also admit that his classmate's assertion may have been true enough, if interpreted so as to mean that he could easily convert his conscience to faith to any of his political plans or methods of action. It is related of Cushing as an instance showing his patriotism and interest in the Union cause during the war of the rebellion, that, in 1862, on the first day of his arrival at Newburyport, after the declaration of actual war, he made a speech earnestly in favor of the Union. Nevertheless, he was hated heartily in that city during the war. William Lloyd Garrison, another Newburyport man, probably believed him a rebel. At any rate, both men were extreme in their manner and views, one as a declared abolitionist, and the other as a strong pro-slavery man.

The New Issue.

We are satisfied that the "methods" used in South Carolina, Louisiana, and some other southern states to make them politically "unanimous," will ultimately, react against their authors. While there are many in the North who sympathise with the feeling of southern whites that the property and intelligence of the states should not be controlled by ignorance, there are very few who will not see the injustice of excluding the colored people from political rights and still using them to give the vote of a southern white man on national affairs—in shaping the policy and fixing the destiny of the country—double the weight of the northern voter. This will become an issue, and it requires no prophet to foretell how the American people will decide it.—*Carolinian.*

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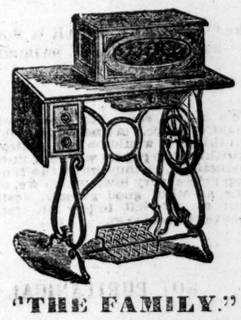

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THE WILMINGTON POST.

WILMINGTON, N. C.,

SUNDAY MORNING, JAN. 12 1879.

LATEST NEWS.

Gen. Grant has had good receptions in Ireland, at Dublin, Londonderry, and Belfast. Cork refused to receive him.

Lord Beaconsfield is said to be seriously sick with the gout. But it is denied.

The snow storms and the cold weather has generally subsided along the path of the cold wave, and the Railroads are running again.

The troops of the Indian Empire seem to be running over Afghanistan at all points where they make the attempt.

The King of Holland has married the Princess Emma of Waldick-Pyrmont.

Associate Justice Hunt of the U. S. Supreme court, is critically sick with paralyis.

There is serious opposition to the Burnside army bill, developing on all sides.

Danvid M. Carter, a very eminent citizen of North Carolina, residing at Raleigh, is dead. He was a man of rare parts, who was admired while living, and whose memory will be uniformly respected now that he is dead.

Mr. Sleischer of Texas one the most influential members of the House was reported as lying at the point of death, but is now reported better.

And Mr. Stephson of Georgia is seriously ill again.

The Hon. Columbus Delano, ex-Secretary of the Interior, is lying dangerously ill at Mount Vernon, Ohio.

The Legislature.

January 8th.

SENATE.

The Senate met at 12 ½ a. m. on the 8th, and elected the following officers;

Mr. R. M. Furman, of Buncombe was elected Principal Clerk.

Mr. Platt D. Cowan, of New Hanover, was elected Reading Clerk.

Mr. J. S. Tomlinson, of Catawba was elected Engrossing Clerk.

Mr. Murrill, of Onslow was elected Door-keeper, and W. V. Clifton, of Franklin, Assistant Door-keeper.

Adjourned.

HOUSE.

Met at 12, o'clock of the 8th, called to order by Mr. J. D. Cameron Clerk of last year.

Mr. Cooke of Franklin nominated John W. Moring of Chatham for Speaker.

Mr. Scott of New Hanover nominated Dr. R. M. Norment of Robeson.

Moring received 68 votes and Norment 27.

Mr. Moring on taking the Chair, made a brief speech.

Adjourned.

January. 9th.

SENATE.

Mr. Dortch introduced six bills and resolutions, all of which but one went to the calendar.

Mr. Dillard, a bill relating to public printing. Calendar.

Mr. Everitt, a bill exempting manufactures from taxation.

The Governor's message was then read, and the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.

Bills were introduced by Mr. Atkinson and Mr. York, which went to the calendar.

Mr Richardson of Columbus, a bill to amend the "privilege tax" law.

Mr. Blocker, a bill to declare and secure the personal property exempt from execution to debtors on debts prior to the Constitution of 1868. Calendar.

Mr. Scott, a bill to define the jurisdiction of justices of the peace.

Adjourned.

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Boston's latest tragedy, the killing by Wilson of himself and his wife, appears to have been caused by his conviction that she was his superior intellectually. Not long previously they went to a phrenologist to have their heads examined, with a view to settling the troublesome question. The phrenologist told them that the wife had the best brain, and was fairly entitled to leadership in the family. Wilson was greatly agitated by this information, and weepingly declared that he had made the most serious blunder of his life in marrying a woman who knew more than he did.

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January, 7th, 1879.

EDITOR POST:—Allow me to express to the readers of the POST what we are doing in old Brunswick in regard to education. On the 3rd instant I had the pleasure of being at the examination of Mr. B. Bryant's school at Spring Hill—it was surely a good time. The scholars recited their lessons with much credit to themselves and their teacher. Mr. Bryant is a noble young man, and a good teacher. Reading, spelling geography, grammar and arithmetic were mastered nicely, by Andrew Rodger and Rimrs James, and Miss Charlotte and little Maggie Lostin.—Several nice speeches and dialogues were recited by the schollars. That being done, your humble servant attempted an address, after which we were invited to a table loaded with good things. At 7:30 o'clock p. m. The school had a concert at St. Mary's Chapel. Long may such schools prosper:

Yours,
B. W. DAVIS.

STATE LEGISLATURES.

Virginia.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 6.—In the Senate to day a resolution was adopted authorizing the Governor to request the presiding officer of the council of foreign bondholders of London, Messrs Baring Brothers & Co., L. G. & G. C. Ward, Messrs. De Rothschild, August Belmont, Brown Bros. & Co., Richard Irwin & Co., Charles H. McFry, and Hugh McCulloch, or their authorized representatives, and all such creditors or their sepresentives as wish to participate, to meet the General Assembly on the 22d instant for conference about a plan of settlement of the state debt.

Louisiana.

New Orleans, Jan. 6.—The Legislature convened to-day, J. C. Moncure, of Caddo, wes elected Speaker, and C. M. Pegnes, of Natchitoches, clerk. The Senate re-elected all the old officers.

A bill was introduced in the Legislature to-day authorizing the Governor to issue $1,500,000 new five-twenty bonds to restore the credit of the state, the bonds to be sold at par for cash or coupons due upon the present state consols. A bill will be introduced to-morrow calling a constitutional convention.

Nevada.

San Francisco, Jan. 6.—The Nevada Legislature convened to-day and effected a permanent organization, by electing the Republican caucus nominees in both Houses.

California.

San Francisco, Jan. 6.—The committee of the constitutional convention appointed to investigate the charges against E. C. O'Donnell, workingmen's delegate from San Francisco, have reported in favor of his expulsion from the convention. The report was made the special order for Thursday next.

Tennesssee.

Nashville, Jan. 6.—The Forty-first General Assembly of Tennessee was organized to-day by the election of Jno. P. Neal, of Rhea county, as President of the Senate, and H. P. Fowlkes, of Williamson county, as Speaker of the House.

Missouri.

St. Louis, Jan. 6.—The Missouri Legislature will convene at Jefferson City on Wednesday next. The city is rapidly filling up with members and the friends of the Senatorial aspirants, and the contest for both the short and long term Senatorship will begin at once.

Pennsylvania.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 7.—The Pennsylvania Legislature met at noon today. The Senate was called to order by President *Pro tem* A. J. Herr. Thomas B. Cochrane was chosen as chief clerk. The House elected H. M. Long (Republican), of Alleghany county, Speaker, and W. C. Shurlock chief clerk. The Democrats voted for Daniel Sherwood of Northumberland county. for speaker.

Connecticut.

Hartford, Conn., Jan. 7.—The Connecticut Legislature begins its annual session to-morrow, and most of the members arrived to day, making a full attendance at caucus this evening.

The Senate Republican caucus nominated G. W. Phillips, of Putman, President *Pro tem.*, and J. L. Barbour, of Hartford, clerk.

The House caucus nominated Dexter P. Wright, of New Haven, Speaker; Edgar M. Warner, of Plainfield, clerk, and Clinton Spencer, of Suffield assistant.

To-morrow's session will be merely for organization, and on Thursday the joint convention will elect a Governor and other state officers.

Ohio.

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.—Governor Bishop's annual message was sent to the General Assembly to-day. It says the total funded debt of Ohio is $6,476,805; the total local debt is $41,205,840; the receipts of the state Treasury for the year were $5,581,538. At the close of the year a balance of $918,694 remained in the treasury. During the past year the money collected for taxes aggregated $29,525,741. Attention is called to the prevalence of grave robbery, and the Legislature is asked to pass some bill by which an adequate number of medical subjects may be supplied from recognized and well defined sources, and thus do away with the odious traffic of body snatchers.

Delaware.

Dover, Del., Jan. 7.—The state Legislature commenced its session to-day. The Senate organized with Charles J. Harrington being appointed speaker; G. Austburn, clerk, and William A. Torbert, Sergeant-at-arms. The organization was effected in the House as follows: Dr. Swithin Chandler, speaker; John F. Saulsbury, clerk, and George Dodd, sergeant-at-arms.

Minnesota.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan., 7.—The Minnesota Legislature met to-day and was organized by the election of C. A. Greman, of St. Cloud, as Speaker of the House, and C. W. Johnson, of Minneapolis, as secretary of the Senate, both these gentlemen being the nominees of the Republican caucus. Both Houses then adjourned until to-morrow, when the Governor's message will probably be received.

Maine.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 7.—Governor-elect Garcelon will be inaugurated to-morrow. His message is said to oppose the free high school act, favor liberal legislation for worthy objects, and to approve of the resumption act.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

READ.

We stood at an open window
Leaning far over the sill,
And if something hadn't happened
We might have stood there still;
But we reached for a banging shutter
In a blinding northeast breeze,
So our friends will have to be invited
To join in the obsequies.

IF WE COULD ONLY HAVE KNOWN what a storm was brewing (in a teapot), and how far off that shutter was, we should never have ventured our head outside of that window; but it is too late for regrets now; we are nonplussed, completely squelched, have been sat upon, and our friends and the public generally are respectfully invited to attend the obsequies on

SATURDAY NEXT,

and we stake our reputation on its being the grandest funeral they ever witnessed.

As he slips he slides, and every time he slides he slips up most woefully. We leave our "kind friends" to find out the meaning of the above, and while they are doing so we will ask the following questions:

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WILMINGTON MARKETS.

Jan. 4.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market opened firm at 26¾ cents bid, with sales reported later in the day of 225 casks at 26¼ cents per gallon for country packages, cosing quiet.

ROSIN—The market was quoted firm at $1 17½ for Strained and $1 20 for Good Strained. Sales reported of 500 bbls Strained and 500 do Good Strained at qotations.

TAR.—Market steady, at $1 60 per bbl, with sales of receipts at that price

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market opened steady the receips of the day, selling at the following figures; $1 25 for Hard and $1 85 for Yellow Dip and Virgin.

COTTON.—The market for this article opened quiet and dull, with a declining tendency. The following are the official quotations:

Ordinary,	— cts	₱ lb
Good Ordinary,	7½ "	"
S. Good Ordinary,	7⅞ "	"
Low Middling	8¼ "	"
Middling	8½ "	"
Good Middling	— "	"

RECEIPTS.

Cotton	498 bales
Spirits turpentine	266 casks
Rosin	2,085 bbls
Tar,	137 bbls
Crude turpentine	132 bbls

Jan. 5.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market for this article was steady at 26½ cts per gallon for country packages, with sales reported of 200 casks at that prices, being a decline of ¼ cent, closing quiet.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at $1 17½ Strained and $1 20 for Good Strained. Sales reported of 1000 bbls Strained and Good Strained at $1 20 per bbl.

TAR.—The market opened steady the receipts of the day being disposed of at $1 60 per bbl.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market was steady and unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at $1 25 for Hard and $1 85 for Yellow Dip and Virgin.

COTTON.—The market for this article opened steady, with sales reported of 300 bales on a basis of 8¼ cents per lb for Middling, closing quiet. The following are the official quotations:

Ordinary,	— cts	₱ lb
Good Ordinary,	7½ "	"
Strict Good Ordinary,	7⅞ "	"
Low Middling,	8 "	"
Middling,	8¼ "	"
Good Middling,	— "	"

RECEIPTS.

Cotton,	454 bales
Spirits Turpentine,	121 casks
Rosin,	690 bbls
Tar,	73 bbls
Crude Turpentine,	525 bbls

Jan. 7.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market opened firm at 26½ cents per gallon for country packages, with sales of 325 casks at that price.

ROSIN—The market was firm at $1 17½ for Strained and $1 20 for Good Strained with sales reported of 2,000 bbls Good Strained at that price.

TAR—Market for this article is firm, with sales reported at $1 60 per bbl.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market steady and unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at $1 25 for Hard and $1 85 for Yellow Dip and Virgin.

COTTON.—The market for this article closed firm on a basis of 8 5-16 cents for Low Middling and 8¾ cents for Middling. The following are the official quotations:

Ordinary,	— cents	₱ lb
Good Ordinary,	7⅞ "	"
Strict Good Ordinary,	7⅞ "	"
Low Middling,	7 5-16 "	"
Middling,	8 5-16 "	"
Good Middling,	— "	"

RECEIPTS.

Cotton,	1032 bales
Spirits Turpentine	119 casks
Rosin,	964 bbls
Tar,	80 bbls
Crude Turpentine	232 bbls

Jan. 8.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was easy at 27 cents per gallon for country packages with sales of 264 casks at that price.

ROSIN—The market was firm at $1 17½ for Strained, $1 20 for Good Strained, with small sales at quotations.

TAR.—Market steady and unchanged the receipts of the day being disposed of at $1 60 per bbl.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—The market was steady and unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at $1 25 for Hard and $1 85 Yellow Dip and Virgin.

COTTON.—The market opened and closed dull. We hear of sales of 38 bales at the following official quotations:

Ordinary,	— cts	₱ lb
Good Ordinary	7⅞ "	"
Strict Good Ordinary,	7⅞ "	"
Low Middling,	7 5-16 "	"
Middling,	8 5-16 "	"
Good Middling,	— "	"

RECEIPTS.

Cotton,	1632 bales.
Spirits turpentine,	473 casks.
Rosin,	2,988 bbls.
Tar,	354 "
Crude turpentine,	845 "

Jan. 9.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was firm at 28 cents per gallon for country packages. Also sales of 75 casks at that price.

ROSIN—The market was firm at $1 17½ for Strained, $1 20 for Good Strained. We can hear of no sales reported.

TAR.—Market firm and unchanged, the receipts of the day being disposed of at $1 35 per bbl.

CRUDE TURPENTINE. The market was steady and unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at $1 00 for Hard and $1 75 for Yellow Dip and Virgin, with the usual deduction of one-fifth on the latter, and $2 00 for Virgin.

COTTON.—The market was firm and nominally unchanged. The sales of the day amounted to 18 bales, at the following quotations:

Ordinary,	7⅞ cts	₱ lb
Good Ordinary,	8¼ "	"
Low Middling,	9¼ "	"
Middling	10¼ "	"
Good Middling,	— "	"

Jan. 10

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was firm at 28 cents per gallon for country packages, at wich price 75 casks changed hands.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at $1 30 for Strained and $1 32½ for Good Strained. Sales reported of 500 bbls at quotations.

TAR.—Market steady and unchanged at $1 40 per bbl, at which the receipts of the day were sold.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market was steady and unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at $1 00 for Hard and $1 75 for Yellow Dip and Virgin, with the usual deduction of one-fifth on the latter, and $2 00 for new Virgin.

COTTON.—The market for this article was quiet and closed somewhat easier at yesterday's quotations. We hear of sales of 20 bales as follows:—5 bales at 8½ cts, 5 do at 9 cts, 9 do at 9¼ cts, 1 do 9¾ cts per lb. The following are the official quotations:

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Good Ordinary,	8¼ "	"
Low Middling,	9¼ "	"
Middling,	9¾ "	"
Good Middling,	— "	"

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Rosin ₱ bbl	0 30@ 0 45	0 00@ 0 4
Cotton ₱ bale	0 00@ 2 00	0 00@ 2 0
Peanuts ₱ bushel	0 00@ 0 11	0 00@ 0 0
Lumber ₱ M	5 50@ 10 00	6 50@ 0
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